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SRI M. PALANIYANDI :—" நமது மாகாணத்தில் வழங்கும் மற்ற மொழிகளாகிய மலையாளம், கன்னடம் முதலிய மொழிகளுக்கு இம் மாதிரியான ' என்சைக்ளோபிடியா ' தயாரிக்கப்படுகிறதா ? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" அந்த (மலையாளம், கன்னடம்) மொழிகளுக்கு சர்க்காரால் தயாரிக்கப்படவில்லை. தனிப்பட்ட ஸ்தாபனம் தமிழில் தயாரிக்கிறது. அதைப்போல் வேறு தனிப்பட்ட ஸ்தாபனம் மலையாளத்திற்கும் கன்னடத்திற்கும் தயாரிக்க முன் வந்தால் அதற்கு சர்க்கார் உதவி செய்யும்."

SRI A. GOVINDASWAMY NAYAGAR :—" கனம் மந்திரி அவர்கள் பதில் சொல்லும்போது ஒரு தனிப்பட்ட ஸ்தாபனம் இதைத் தயார் செய்வதாகச் சொன்னார். அதில் யார் யார் இருக்கிறார்கள் ? எத்தனை பன் மொழிப் புலவர்கள் அதிலிருக்கிறார்கள் ? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" தமிழிலுள்ள எல்லா புலவர்களும் அதில் இருக்கிறார்கள்."

SRI V. R. KRISHNA AYYAR :—" There is already effort in the Travancore-Cochin State in the direction of preparation of a Malayalam Encyclopædia also. The beginnings are there. Would the Government of Madras also lend their support so that we may have one in the sister language of Malayalam? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" I think the Travancore-Cochin Government is competent enough to undertake this work. I do not think that they will expect any help from our Government."

SRI B. K. NALLASWAMI :—" As the cost of the encyclopædia is very high, will the Government consider the question of giving subsidies to the society so that the price may be reduced and the book made easily available to the public? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" It is being sold at a subsidized price; it is not being sold at the cost price."

Land Colonization Scheme

* 734 *Q.*—SRI N. K. PALANISAMY : Will the Hon. the Minister for Health be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether any lands were given to ex-servicemen under the Land Colonization Scheme; and

(*b*) if so, the number of ex-servicemen who were given lands?

11-20 a.m. THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" (*a*) Yes, Sir.

" (*b*) 483 ex-servicemen have been admitted as members in six land Colonization Societies in this State intended purely for ex-servicemen. In the Wynad Land Colony in Malabar district, 1,812 ex-servicemen have been settled till 30th June 1954."

SRI M. P. SUBRAMANYAM :—" May I know from the Hon. Minister whether the Government have gone into the question of success or otherwise of these land colonisation schemes that are now working in the State and if they are successful have the

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Government any proposal at present to start more such schemes? Have the Government received any scheme of land colonization from the District Collector, Salem or the Deputy Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Salem? "

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" The land colonization scheme has been fairly successful. There are now proposals under investigation for the formation of few more land colonization schemes for ex-servicemen. I have no information with reference to Salem."

SRI S. R. ARUMUGAM :—" May I know whether it is a fact that the land colonization scheme which was started to rehabilitate ex-servicemen at Udamalpet on a co-operative basis was given up and if so what is the reason for the failure of the scheme? May I also know whether they applied for any financial assistance from the Government and what was the amount granted by the Government."

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" A separate question may be put, Sir."

DR. K. B. MENON :—" Mr. Sathianathan, Member, Board of Revenue, conducted an enquiry with regard to the colonization scheme in Wynaad. Will Government make his report available to the Members of this House? "

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" I shall look into the matter, Sir."

SRI T. ANANTA PAI :—" May we know the salient features of the land colonization scheme? "

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" It is meant for settling ex-servicemen particularly and in the case of Wynaad, also other people."

SRI S. VADIVELU :—" நமது ராஜ்யத்தில் இதுவரையில் எத்தனை காலனிகள் அமைக்கப்பட்டிருக்கின்றன என்று கனம் மந்திரி அவர்கள் சொல்லுவார்களா ? "

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" Six colonies are now functioning in this State."

SRI A. APPU :—" Are ex-servicemen settled in the Wynaad colony given any financial aid by the Government and if so may I know whether these amounts are recovered from them and is there any complaint from the settlers that these amounts were intended to be given free but the Government were now unnecessarily collecting the amount? "

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" The ex-servicemen colonists in Wynaad were paid free grants of Rs. 2,250 per head from the Post-War Services Reconstruction Fund."

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SRI V. R. KRISHNA AYYAR :—" May I know whether Government have any idea of extending the area of colonization scheme in Wynaad and thereby prevent or abort the encroachment proceedings taken in Wynaad against large number of people in respect of revenue lands? "

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" Extension of the colonization scheme and the starting of more land colonization schemes are under the consideration of the Government."

SRI V. R. NAGARAJAN :—" Is this colonization scheme functioning in South Arcot district and if so are lands apportioned for cultivation and for habitation? "

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" Schemes have so far been started in Tiruchirappalli, Tanjore, Chingleput, Coimbatore and Salem."

SRI M. NARAYANA KURUP :—" The Hon. Minister said that the ex-servicemen and others are also given land. May I know the qualification which will entitle one to get lands in the colonization scheme? "

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" Poverty and want of land to settle themselves."

SRI S. R. ARUMUGAM :—" Sir, the land colonization schemes were started to rehabilitate ex-servicemen on co-operative basis. When the State Government have got funds to rehabilitate ex-servicemen such as Post-War Services Reconstruction Fund, a share of the Flag Day Sales Fund and the Government's own Fund out of the revenue account, why should not Government try to bring all the lands which are intended for the ex-servicemen under mechanized methods of cultivation? "

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" The cost of the scheme is shared by the State Government and the Central Government and the Post-War Services Reconstruction Committee. Regarding mechanized-cultivation, the hon. Member may put a separate question."

SRI S. RAMALINGAM :—" In view of the fact that in Tanjore district the scheme at Thirumakottai is functioning very well, have the Government any idea to extend the present colony or open a new colony in Tanjore district? "

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" Yes, Sir, the Government have approved the formation of a land colonization society in a certain village in Papanasam taluk."

Sale of neera in the City

* 735 *Q.*—SRI A. RATNAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Religious Endowments and Transport be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of vehicles used in preventing the transport of illicit liquor in the City; and